A-20. Employed persons by occupation, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and sex

(Percent distribution)

Occupation, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Total		Men		Women	
	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006
TOTAL						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands)	143,142	145,379	77,386	78,446	65,756	66,933
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations	34.3	34.2	31.7	31.5	37.3	37.3
Management, business, and financial operations occupations	14.4	14.5	15.5	15.7	13.2	13.0
Professional and related occupations	19.8	19.7	16.2	15.8	24.1	24.3
Service occupations	16.8	17.0	13.5	13.7	20.8	21.0
Sales and office occupations	25.2	24.8	17.2	16.7	34.7	34.2
Sales and related occupations	11.4	11.1	10.6	10.5	12.3	11.9
Office and administrative support occupations	13.8	13.6	6.5	6.2	22.4	22.3
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	11.2	11.3	19.7	19.8	1.2	1.3
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	.8	.7	1.1	1.0	.4	.4
Construction and extraction occupations	6.6	6.7	12.0	12.1	.4	.5
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	3.8	3.8	6.7	6.8	.3	.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	12.5	12.7	17.9	18.3	6.1	6.2
Production occupations	6.4	6.5	8.2	8.5	4.2	4.2
Transportation and material moving occupations	6.1	6.2	9.7	9.8	1.9	2.0
White						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands)		119,575 100.0	64,800 100.0	65,642 100.0	53,221 100.0	53,934 100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations	34.9	34.7	32.2	31.7	38.1	38.2
Management, business, and financial operations occupations		15.1	16.2	16.4	13.6	13.6
Professional and related occupations		19.6	16.0	15.4	24.5	24.7
Service occupations		16.1	12.6	12.9	19.7	19.9
Sales and office occupations		24.7	17.0	16.4	35.1	34.7
Sales and related occupations		11.4	11.0	10.8	12.4	12.2
Office and administrative support occupations		13.3	6.0	5.6	22.8	22.6
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	12.0	12.2	20.8	21.1	1.2	1.3
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations		.8	1.2	1.1	.5	.4
Construction and extraction occupations		7.3	12.7	13.0	.4	.5
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations		4.0	6.9	7.0	.3	.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations		12.4	17.5	17.9	5.8	5.8
Production occupations		6.5	8.2	8.5	4.0	3.9
Transportation and material moving occupations		6.0	9.3	9.4	1.8	1.9
Black or African American						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands)	15,573 100.0	15,946 100.0	7,395 100.0	7,460 100.0	8,178 100.0	8,487 100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations	26.3	26.4	21.7	23.1	30.4	29.3
Management, business, and financial operations occupations		9.8	10.0	10.4	10.1	9.2
Professional and related occupations		16.6	11.8	12.7	20.3	20.0
Service occupations	24.5	24.4	20.2	20.1	28.3	28.2
Sales and office occupations	25.8	26.5	17.7	18.7	33.1	33.4
Sales and related occupations		9.1	8.0	7.8	11.4	10.2
Office and administrative support occupations	16.0	17.4	9.7	10.9	21.7	23.2
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	7.6	6.7	15.0	13.2	1.0	1.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations		.3	.5	.5	.2	.1
Construction and extraction occupations		3.8	9.3	7.8	.2	.3
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	2.8	2.6	5.2	4.9	.6	.6
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations		16.0	25.3	24.9	7.3	8.2
Production occupations		6.9	9.0	9.0	4.6	5.1

See footnotes at end of table.

A-20. Employed persons by occupation, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and sex—Continued

(Percent distribution)

Occupation, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Total		Men		Women	
	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006	Aug. 2005	Aug. 2006
Asian						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands)	6,300	6,511	3,438	3,571	2,862	2,94
Percent		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations	46.1	47.5	48.7	48.3	42.9	46.
Management, business, and financial operations occupations	15.6	16.3	15.7	16.8	15.4	15.
Professional and related occupations		31.2	33.0	31.6	27.5	30.
Service occupations		15.0	14.0	12.5	18.3	18.
Sales and office occupations		22.5	18.9	19.0	30.7	26
Sales and related occupations		11.5	10.7	12.1	13.5	10.
Office and administrative support occupations		11.0	8.3	6.9	17.2	15
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations		5.3	7.7	8.9	.8	10
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations		.3	.1	.3	.4	
Construction and extraction occupations		1.9	3.4	3.2	.1	
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations		3.1	4.3	5.5	.3	
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations		9.7	10.5	11.3	7.2	7
Production occupations		6.5	6.7	6.2	6.2	6.
Transportation and material moving occupations		3.2	3.8	5.1	1.0	
Hispanic or Latino ethnicity						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands)	18,840	19,588	11,514	11,870	7,326	7,71
Percent		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.
Management, professional, and related occupations	16.2	16.3	12.8	13.0	21.6	21.
Management, business, and financial operations occupations		7.3	6.8	6.7	6.8	8
Professional and related occupations		9.0	6.0	6.3	14.8	13
Service occupations		24.5	19.0	19.9	31.3	31
Sales and office occupations		20.7	14.3	13.6	32.8	31
Sales and related occupations		8.8	7.3	6.9	12.6	11
Office and administrative support occupations		11.9	7.0	6.7	20.2	19
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations		19.8	31.2	30.8	2.2	2.
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations		2.2	3.3	2.7	1.4	1.
Construction and extraction occupations		13.9	21.5	22.3	.6	'.
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations		3.7	6.4	5.8	.2	
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations		18.7	22.7	22.6	12.1	12
Production occupations		9.8	10.5	10.2	8.8	9.
Transportation and material moving occupations		8.9	12.2	12.4	3.3	3

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. In addition, persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race and, therefore, are classified by ethnicity as well as by race.

Beginning in January 2006, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.